



Croquet Victoria Event Regulations & Procedures

VCA Golf Croquet Regional Championships

The VCA Golf Croquet Regional Championships shall be played annually.

Eligibility

Each Region may enter one (1) contestant in each of the handicap blocks (currently 0-5, 6-8 and 9-12).

Each region may hold a qualification event to determine its entries.

Each player entered in the VCA Golf Croquet Regional Championships must be of the appropriate handicap at the time of entry and may not be of a lower handicap than the block for which they are nominated. However, if an entry's handicap changes subsequent to qualification & nomination and within 21 days of the VCA Golf Croquet Regionals, the entry is still eligible to play in the handicap block for which they were entered.

Entries

Entries, on the attached form and accompanied by payment, are to be in the hands of the Tournament Manager at least 21 days prior to the date of the Championships. Incomplete entries or those unaccompanied by payment will not be accepted.

Trophies

Winners of each handicap block will receive a badge. The Region of each handicap block winner will receive a perpetual trophy to hold for 12 months.

The Region with the highest aggregate hoop points will receive the Lefel Shield, to hold for 12 months.

All perpetual trophies are to be returned to the next VCA Golf Croquet Regional Championships.

Referees

Each region is to supply at least one accredited referee for the event.

Tournament Conditions

The VCA Golf Croquet Regional Championships shall be played in accordance with the WCF Rules of Golf Croquet and the Regulations forming part of those Rules that are adopted by Croquet Australia and Croquet Victoria at the time of the Championships.

The event will be level play and played as a round robin within each handicap block. If less than five players enter a handicap block, that block shall be played as a double round robin.

Courts may be double banked as necessary.

Games shall be untimed.

Recognised Croquet attire is to be worn. However, a country region may elect that all players from that region may wear that Region's colours (as defined in the (AC) Country Regionals Rules). Metro regions may advise their colours, as long as they are different to those allocated to country regions, as above.

The winner of each handicap block shall be the player who wins the most games. In the event of a tie and count back, the winner will be the player with the most net points. If net points are equal, the winner will be the player who won the game played between the tied players (or the most games played between the tied players, if more than two are tied).

The winning Region shall be that region with the most aggregate hoop points. In the event of a tie and count back, it shall be the region with the most net points.

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Entry Form

Region:

Players

Sect	ACA ID	Name	Handicap	Index
1				
2				
3				

Fees:

..... entries at \$20 each = \$

Payment by cheque/money order is enclosed

Or

Payment has been made by direct credit to the VCA Account

BSB 633-000 Account # 147555684 Account Name: Victorian Croquet Association

(Delete whichever is not appropriate)

Referees

ACA ID	Name	Phone	Email